

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

MICHAEL D. GOON,

CASE NO. C18-1445JLR

Plaintiff,

ORDER STRIKING DISCOVERY MOTION

MICHAEL COLEMAN, et al.,

Defendants.

Before the court is Plaintiff Michael D. Goon’s motion to compel Defendant State
shington to furnish an unredacted copy of a specific Department of Corrections
. (Mot. (Dkt. # 15).) Mr. Goon filed his motion without first requesting a
ence with the court. (*See generally* Dkt.) The motion therefore contravenes the
s December 12, 2018, scheduling order. (*See* Am. Sched. Order (Dkt. # 13) at 2
rsuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16, the Court ‘direct[s] that before
g for an order relating to discovery, the movant must request a conference with the
. . . .” (second alteration in original) (citing Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(3)(B)(v))); *see*

1 also Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(3)(B)(v) (permitting the court, in its scheduling order, to
2 “direct that before moving for an order relating to discovery, the movant must request a
3 conference with the court”). Thus, the court STRIKES Mr. Goon’s motion (Dkt. # 15)
4 without prejudice to refiling the motion in a manner that comports with the court’s
5 scheduling order.

Dated this 14th day of May, 2019.



Jim R. Blit

The Honorable James L. Robart
U.S. District Court Judge